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Six Special Values in Kitchen and Table Wares

If the real worth and the low prices of these articles could be realized by our patrons the assortments would be inadequate for the day's selling.

Mixing Bowls, 28c Set. Regularly 40c.

Three to the set, 7, 8 and 9 inches; of fine yellow earthenware, heavily glazed.

English Teapots, 28c Each. Regularly 45c.

Very desirable size and assorted decorations and colors. A very splendid quality.

Casserole, \$1.00 Each. Regularly \$1.50.

Brown exterior, white interior, pierced nickel frame, with half feet and mahogany-finished handles.

Serving Trays, 25c Each. Regularly 50c.

Half price for Serving Trays, with wicker frames and glass-covered cretonne center; both handled and unhandled. Also Glass Trays, with pierced nickel handles.

Teacups and Saucers, \$2 Dozen. Regularly \$3.00.

Thin China, ovate shape, in very attractive decorations. One of the best offerings we have ever been able to make in cups and saucers.

Thin Blown Table Tumblers, 48c Dozen. Regular Value, 60c.

In three very desirable patterns; clear glass.

200 Crinkled Dimity Summer Bedspreads, Special Price, \$1.85 Each.

100 size 90x100 inches, all white. 100 size 80x90 inches, with colored stripes, in blue, pink and yellow.

These spreads are of splendid quality crinkled dimity, with scalloped edges, and corners cut out so as to fit metal beds.

Continuing the Sale of Imported Cretonnes, 28c Yd. Regular 50c and 75c Qualities.

We still have a good selection of the very large special purchase of Cretonnes, which we first offered during Anniversary week. The quantity of material in this sale was a surprise even to ourselves, and though we have sold an immense number of yards, there is yet very good choosing. Cretonnes suitable for linings, curtains, draperies, bed covers, cushions and all sorts of home work.

The patterns and colorings are of very attractive design.

28 yard—regularly 50c to 75c.

Special in Slip Covers at \$12.50 the Suite.

Slip Covers for the average 5-piece Parlor Suite. Twenty-five yards of material allowed for the making, including the splendid quality 28c Imported Cretonnes, which regularly sell from 50c to 75c, or the English Striped Cotton Damasks. It is safe to say that when these fabrics are disposed of that such a remarkable slip cover offering will not be possible. Let us measure your furniture and begin the work at once.

Special price, \$12.50 suite.

From 10c to 25c.

"NO FIGHTING." BRYAN TOLD SANTO DOMINGO

Statement Tells of U. S. Word to Country—Peace Prospects Are Bright, Phelan Says.

The Department of State today issued a statement regarding the situation in Santo Domingo, Republic of the Dominican Republic, which was received from the United States Consul at Santo Domingo, Mr. J. H. Phelan, on March 8.

Mr. Phelan's statement, which was received by the Department of State, is as follows: "On March 8, I received from Mr. J. H. Phelan, Consul at Santo Domingo, a letter stating that the situation in Santo Domingo was very serious, and that the United States Government was being asked to intervene."

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100 A DAY FINE FOR GAS COMPANY URGED

P. H. Branson Says "Heat Unit" Standard Is Inadequate—Deplore Sylvester's Retirement.

A resolution demanding the reformation of the 25-cent per hour standard was passed by the Northeast Washington Citizens' Association at a meeting last night at the Washington Hotel.

P. H. Branson, in discussing the resolution, claimed that during the past four months the gas furnished has averaged 15 candle power, whereas an act of Congress provided the 25-candle power standard with a penalty of \$100 a day for loss of candle power.

Mr. Branson claimed that the "heat unit" substituted as a standard by the Public Utilities Commission is inadequate. Mr. Branson said that a penalty of \$100 a day for loss of each candle power should be imposed.

Among those who took part in the discussion of this question were President E. H. Tucker, Secretary Roscoe Jones, Dr. J. L. Walker, and James M. Wood. Dr. Walker gave the report of the police and fire committee, and introduced a resolution of sorrow at the retirement of Mr. Sylvester after three years' service in the police department.

The resolution, which was passed, urged Mr. Sylvester for the good wishes of the community.

A resolution of sympathy on the death of M. L. Weller was passed. W. G. Lang gave the report of the committee on streets.

Britain Frees Civilian Prisoners.

London, March 9.—An announcement was made in Parliament this afternoon that Germany under 17 and over 20 and Austro-Hungarians under 18 and over 20 are now permitted to return to their native countries under arrangements just made.

Twelve Hurt in Rock Island Wreck.

Topska, March 8.—Twelve passengers were injured today when a Rock Island train was derailed in a snow drift near Cuba, Kansas. Four cars left the track.

ASKS DISEASE PREVENTION.

Dr. Harvey Wiley Addresses Ohio Society.

"The battle of the food laws is a battle for the health of the nation," said Dr. Harvey Wiley in addressing the Ohio Society at Cincinnati last night. In referring to an illustrated lecture on the food laws, Dr. Wiley said that the food laws of the United States are the best in the world.

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Balkan Street IS THREATENED

German Press Says Minor War Depends Upon Action by Greece.

ONLY TESTING STRENGTH

King Constantine Said to Have Done This in Dismissing Premier Venizelos, Who Is Very Popular.

By FREDERICK WERNER.

Berlin, March 9.—If Greece joins the war, another great conflagration of hostilities will sweep across the Balkans. This is the prediction made by the German press today in commenting upon the political crisis in the Hellenic kingdom of Constantine.

The Tuntine papers discuss the Greek situation in the afternoon. King Constantine wanted war, while the King and probably Greece, Demosthenes, chief of the newspaper, and the coffee-house orators are for England and France.

"If another Dardanelles fort falls, all kinds of popular demonstrations will be seen in the streets of Athens. But the King can apparently count upon the army, the 'coffee-house' orators are less successful than they appear to be."

Greece In Grave Danger.

"In view of the tremendous popularity of Constantine, the role assumed by King Constantine is not a light one," says the Lokal Anzeiger. "But he should not find it difficult to prove to the people that the abandonment of neutrality of Greece would instantly bring other Balkan peoples on the scene and very quickly set the Balkans again on fire."

The Kosmos-Zeitung says that King Constantine was certainly aware that the dismissal of Venizelos at this time and for such a cause would result in a test of strength.

"But," the paper continues, "it should not be forgotten that if the King dismisses Venizelos this means that he opposes a statement which he has made in his diplomatic leadership in the Balkan war and the peace of the Balkans stands the King who led the Greek armies to victory."

Another press comment contains the declaration that the Greek King rejects certain proposals of Premier Venizelos on the advice of the Greek general staff.

DIVERSITY OF LAWS DOESN'T AID BUSINESS

SENATOR JONES DENIES DEMOCRAT'S STORY

Delivers Scathing Denunciation of Supt. Davis, of Anti-Saloon League.

Norfolk, Va., March 9.—Senator C. A. Jones, speaking for himself and the seven Republican senators, delivered a scathing denunciation of Supt. R. L. Davis, of the Anti-Saloon League, tonight at the Norfolk Hotel.

It was in reply to an article in Sunday afternoon edition of the Norfolk News, in which the Anti-Saloon League was accused of having passed the house, 10 to 7, a bill reported without prejudice by the senate committee and defeated by a solid vote of the seven Republicans and one Democratic friend of prohibition who voted for the amendment.

This, Mr. Jones said, is deliberately untrue and uttered with the deliberate intent of casting aspersions on himself and the other six Republicans, and an attempt to make false charges against the Anti-Saloon League.

He reminded the audience that it was a Democratic senate committee that reported the bill without prejudice, and that it was a Republican committee that reported the bill without prejudice.

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Will Not Accept Position.

Norfolk, Va., March 9.—T. T. McCabe, who was named by the bill which created the Pasquotank county highway commission, as one of the commissioners, has declined to accept the position and has notified Senator Gibson and others of the present session of the State legislature that another man must be selected in his place.

Mr. McCabe was slated for the office of chairman of this commission. He assigned his reasons for not accepting that he had not the time to give the work of the county the will be required of the commissioners and that he does not care to incur the ill will of the citizens by trying to enforce some of the provisions of the bill, which will likely prove unpopular.

RED SMEAR WAS SEEN IN ANGLE APARTMENT

Sleuth Thinks It Came from Bloody Cloth—Were Lights Burning When Ballou Met Death?

Bridgeport, Conn., March 8.—Were the lights in the entrance hall to the Rippon apartment in Stamford and along the hallway leading to Mrs. Helen M. Angles suite burning continuously between 10 o'clock and midnight on the night of June 23—the night Waldo R. Ballou, Mrs. Angles' visitor, met his death?

Were they turned out while Mrs. Angles sought to mop and scrub the red stains away?

Did anyone pass the Rippon Building and notice that the lights were out only to return a while later to see the tragedy of Ballou's death?

These questions are being asked in the light of the fact that the lights in the hallway leading to Mrs. Angles' suite were burning continuously between 10 o'clock and midnight on the night of June 23—the night Waldo R. Ballou, Mrs. Angles' visitor, met his death.

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GERMANS REQUIRE IN POLICA REGION

Offensive Fails to Dislodge Russians, Claims Czar's Military Commanders.

HEAVY FIGHTING SOUTH

Kaiser's Bombardment of Ossowiec Said to Have Failed—Loss Entire Corps in One Battle.

By FRANCIS LAVELLE MURRAY.

Petrograd, March 9.—Two great German and Russian armies are locked in the grip of battle in the Belica region, south of the Vistula River, Prussia, where the forces of Grand Duke Nicholas are striving to dislodge the soldiers of Field Marshal von Hindenburg from their positions.

A German offensive in that region having failed, the Germans retired to a strong position along a series of heights and the Russians are now shelling these positions with the utmost vigor preparatory to an attempt to carry them with the bayonet. A big battle is developing there along a seven-mile front.

Heavy Fighting South.

In the meantime, heavy fighting is in progress south of the East Prussian border near Lomza, Plock and Przasnysk. The Russians are maintaining a strong offensive all along this line from Augustow down to the Habor and Mawer Rivers to a point south of Plock.

It was the intention of lessening Russian pressure in this region that the Germans attacked the Russian army south of the Vistula. With the German efforts in the region of the Belica a failure, the situation between Plock and Augustow is now the subject of discussion. It is believed the Russians will be able to start another drive into East Prussia within the next few days.

German Fire Ineffective.

The German bombardment of Ossowiec has been without effect. Russian sorties, which have been made in the night, in the Russian forces, caused great losses to the Germans.

The following official statement was given out by the German high command relative to the retreat from Grodno:

"The Germans retreated under continuing Russian pressure for the loss of thousands of prisoners and six cannon. One fight in which the Germans were defending a hill, cost them a corps. Throughout the entire fight from 12,000 to 15,000 were killed."

FILMS SHOW MOTOR'S ROLE IN WAR GAME

Army Officers View Pictures to Be Exhibited at Motor Show in Columbia Theater.

At the invitation of Capt. Cranston, of the General Staff, a number of prominent military officers gathered at the Columbia Theater last night for a preliminary showing of some of the films to be shown during the Motor Show at the Columbia Theater on March 11. They were enthusiastic over the fine showing of the numerous ways in which the gasless motor is being used to modernize modern warfare, and urged the management of the motor show to give the films full prominence.

In view of the interest displayed in war and the means of carrying on warfare, the management of the motor show has included among the feature films to be shown next Sunday a complete reel of films showing the use of the modern motor truck in time of warfare. This reel shows the truck under all conditions of army service—carrying provisions to be loaded by the men, and being used as a mobile headquarters.

Another interesting feature will be a film showing maneuvers of a large fleet of German dirigibles, taken by the German high command, and shown to the Emperor and his staff. To maintain proper neutrality, the management has obtained a film showing maneuvers of a large fleet of French aeroplanes, which will be shown at the same time.

So favorable has been the verdict of the officials who viewed the initial showing of these films that a delegation to the House of Representatives, the Senate and the Naval Affairs as are able to attend will be present.

In order to make room for the military feature of the exhibit without prolonging the show, the committee has decided to show different reels at each performance in the section of the show relating to the manufacture of automobiles.

The afternoon performance will display will be made of the Ford method of production, and at the evening performance the Maxwell car will be shown.

Several new films of recent speed cars, which are being shown in the afternoon, also have been secured.

"DOPE" SMUGGLERS DETECTED.

\$2,000 Worth Found in Chinaman's Berth by Customs Inspectors.

Special to the Washington Herald. Philadelphia, March 9.—Two thousand dollars' worth of opium was discovered yesterday by customs officers when they searched the berth of a Chinese steamer, arriving from Bussorah, Persia. The drug was hidden in the berth of the Chinese steamer.

When Harry G. Gettel, customs boarding officer, made his examination of the ship's papers he was told by Capt. McCambridge that he suspected some of the Chinamen signed as sailors had brought opium aboard.

On the report of Gettel, Acting Inspector Price and six customs inspectors started a search of the opium found and confiscated and all members of the crew were placed under surveillance.

New York Hotel Arrivals.

Special to the Washington Herald. New York, March 9.—The following Washingtonians are registered at New York hotels: W. H. Heft, Churchill; H. Hains, M. E. Hoffman, M. P. Okie, and J. L. Oren, York.

Business representatives—Miss C. Hirsch, Petticoats and underwear, Palais Royal, dry goods, etc.; West Twenty-third street; H. Gruenbaum, domestics, dress goods, silks and white goods, M. Goldenberg, dry goods, etc.; Wallick; Mrs. M. Johnson, ladies' hosiery and knit underwear; Miss S. Eber, millinery; Miss Carroll, cloaks and suits; Mrs. J. C. Nourse, notions, art goods and trimmings, and Miss Steigall, waists, for Woodward & Lothrop, at 334 Fourth Avenue.

Yarmouth, England, has 51,126 population.

WEDNESDAY'S SPECIAL

On Sale Today—The One Day Only THIS MASSIVE PARLOR SUITE \$62.50 IN MAHOGANY.

A particularly large and heavy design, upholstered in the finest genuine Spanish leather. A magnificent parlor suite that will be seen to be appreciated.

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CONVENIENT TERMS.

Doings of Society

Mrs. Bryan was the guest of honor at a luncheon given yesterday by Miss Marylin Gillett. Mrs. Gillett acted as hostess, and the luncheon was given in the dining room of the Hotel Hamilton.

The Attorney General and Mrs. Thomas Watt Gregory are among the much-feted society folk this week. They were the guests of honor at a dinner which Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Faust and Mrs. J. S. Sanders, of Chicago, arrived at the Willard yesterday for a spring visit in Washington after spending the winter at Palm Beach.

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